

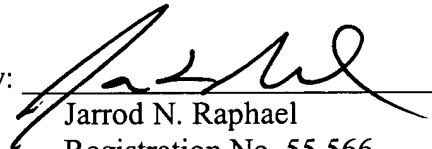
REMARKS:

Claims 1 – 6 are currently being cancelled in lieu of new claims 7 – 12 to remove multiple dependencies and place the claims in proper U.S. format. These amendments do not introduce new matter within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. §132. Accordingly, entry of the amendments prior to examination is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or deposit any deficiency or over payment to U.S. PTO Deposit Account 08-2336.

Respectfully submitted,

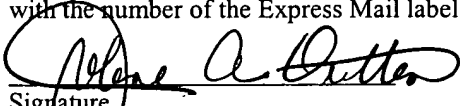
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